

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1, 3, 4, 13, 25 and 27 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter. Please amend the claims as follows:

1. to 4. (Cancelled).

5. (Currently Amended) A service information distribution device for distributing service information to a personal digital assistant device, comprising:

a ~~receiving~~ management unit adapted to receive manage position information of the personal digital assistant device as a movement history;

~~a storing unit adapted to store the received position information in a history database as history data of the personal assistant device;~~

a selection unit adapted to select a personal digital assistant device to which the service information should be distributed on the basis of the movement history database in which the position information received managed by said ~~receiving~~ management unit is reflected; and

a distribution unit adapted to distribute the service information to the selected personal digital assistant device.

6. (Cancelled).

7. (Currently Amended) A service information distribution device according to claim 5, wherein said selection unit selects the personal digital assistant

device to which the service information should be distributed, on the basis of a frequency [[of]] for dropby of each zone by each personal digital assistant device.

8. (Original) A service information distribution device according to claim 5, wherein the service information includes congestion degree information.

9. (Currently Amended) A service information distribution device according to claim 5, wherein the service information includes at least one of informations regarding sale of an article, advertisement distribution, reservation, hall guidance, opening of an event and an attraction, suitable for the personal digital assistant device.

10. (Currently Amended) A service information distribution device according to claim 5, wherein said distribution unit distributes the ~~selected~~ service information in response to a request from the personal digital assistant device.

11. (Cancelled).

12. (Currently Amended) A service information distribution device according to claim 5, wherein said management unit also manages ~~history database also~~ stores accounting information for [[the]] a user of the personal digital assistant device.

13. to 16. (Cancelled).

17. (Currently Amended) A control method for controlling a service information distribution device for distributing service information to a personal digital assistant device, comprising:

a receiving managing step for receiving managing position information of the personal digital assistant device as a movement history;

~~a storing step for storing the received position information in a history database as history data of the personal assistant device;~~

a selecting step for selecting a personal digital assistant device to which the service information should be distributed on the basis of the movement history database in which the position information received managed in said receiving managing step is reflected; and

a distributing step for distributing the service information to the selected personal digital assistant device.

18. to 25. (Cancelled).

26. (Currently Amended) A control program capable of being executed by a computer for controlling a service information distribution device for distributing service information to a personal digital assistant device, comprising:

a program code executing a receiving managing step for receiving managing position information of the personal digital assistant device as a movement history;

~~a program code executing a storing step for storing the received position information in a history database as history data of the personal assistant device;~~

a program code for executing a selecting step for selecting a personal digital assistant device to which the service information should be distributed on the basis of the movement history database in which the position information received managed by said receiving managing step is reflected; and

a program code for executing a distributing step for distributing the service information to the selected personal digital assistant device.

27. (Cancelled).

28. (Currently Amended) A storing computer-readable storage medium storing a control program capable of being read by a computer for controlling a service information distribution device for distributing service information to a personal digital assistant device, the control program comprising:

a program code executing a receiving managing step for receiving managing position information of the personal digital assistant device as a movement history;

~~a program code executing a storing step for storing the received position information in a history database as history data of the personal assistant device;~~

a program code for executing a selecting step for selecting a personal digital assistant device to which the service information should be distributed on the basis of the movement history database in which the position information received managed by said receiving managing step is reflected; and

a program code for executing a distributing step for distributing the service information to the selected personal digital assistant by device.